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STRENUOUS FIGHTING ALL ALONG RUSSIAN FRONTIER: FINNS CLAIM CAPTURE OF KANDALAKSHA

Soviets Still Holding Part Of Oesel Island: Rain In Ukraine

STRENUOUS FIGHTING CONTINUES ALL ALONG THE RUSSIAN FRONTIER. IT WAS LEARNED IN AUTHORITATIVE CIRCLES IN LONDON ON SATURDAY, says Reuter.

THERE ARE, HOWEVER, NO DETAILS OF THE PROGRESS OF THE BATTLE AT ANY POINT.

THE RUSSIANS STILL HOLD A PART, AT LEAST, OF THE ISLAND OF OESEL. THE ATTACK ON CRIMEA CONTINUES AND ALTHOUGH VARIOUS ACCOUNTS REFER TO THE USE OF PARACHUTISTS BY THE GERMANS, THERE IS NO CONFIRMATION OF THIS IN LONDON.

Rain has fallen in the Ukraine. It does not normally fall so far south so early in the year and it is possible it will have an effect on the fighting in this region.

Release Of Man-Power For War Work Is Now Serious Home Problem

In his weekly commentary, broadcast from London last night, MR F. A. MONTAGUE mentioned two announcements. One was that Civil Servants will not be allowed to retire at the usual age of 60 but must work up to 65; the working hours per week will be increased from 42 to 51. The other announcement was that the age limit for women bus conductors will be raised from 35 to 40.

These announcements related to service but this had been raised a series of changes all with the same end in view, namely, to release man power for war work. At the moment this was a most serious problem.

Turning to newspapers, Mr. Montague said that their publication was considered essential for national morale. If the public did not know what was going on from day to day they became worried.

Newspapermen up to the age of 30 had been excused from military

MRS. CLARKE WAS WELL TREATED

PEIPING, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—Mrs. Denzil H. Clarke was handed over to her husband, the British Press Attache, at the Japanese Embassy this afternoon, well but suffering from a light nervous shock.

She was stated to be well-treated and suffered no hardships.

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HITLER, IL DUCE, KONOYE EXCHANGE TELEGRAMS

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—HERR HITLER, SIGNOR MUSSOLINI, and the Japanese Prime Minister, PRINCE KONOYE, exchanged telegrams on the first anniversary of the signing of the TRI-PARTITE PACT, says the official News Agency.

Hitler's message to Mussolini says: "The Three-Power Pact has proved to be the foundation of the future 'New Order' to which many other young rising peoples have, in the meantime, declared adherence.

BRITISH FINANCIAL MISSION WELCOMED

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—In welcoming the British financial mission to China, the official CENTRAL DAILY NEWS this morning declared:—

"We hope the mission will not only strengthen China's resistance, but will pave the way to British-Chinese-American economic co-operation in post-war reconstruction.

"Today, Britain and China are sharing the same fate and fighting the same war. We are confident that Britain will triumph over the Axis and we believe that Britain is equally confident that China must eventually triumph over Japan.

"Britain's victory over the Axis will help China the same as a Chinese victory over Japan will help Britain in the latter's struggle against the Axis."

The Ministry of Finance, in a statement, revealed that on the request of the British Government and on the invitation of the Chinese Government, Sir Otto Niemeyer has undertaken to head the financial and economic mission to China.

China Destined To Become Major Power In World Politics

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—CHINA IS DESTINED TO BECOME A MAJOR POWER IN WORLD POLITICS: She may become a stabilising factor or great menace to international peace—this will depend on how she is reconstructed after the war, declared DR. ZING YANG KUO, addressing the British Association today on "Post-war Reconstruction in China."

Well-planned economy with the full co-operation and collaboration of Great Britain and the United States should be worked out, he said. China should modernise her industries and agriculture to improve the standard of living of the masses rather than for foreign trade.

The United States, in collaboration with Britain, should agree to sufficient financial and material aids for her national reconstruction without provision for commercial and financial benefit in return.

China should agree to export only those products which would not lead to unnecessary competition for the world market. Britain, the United States and other nations should agree not to import, or import only a limited quantity, those articles to China which may

tend to hamper the development of her industry and agriculture.

INDEPENDENCE OF SYRIA

DAMASCUS, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—General Catroux, the Free French Commander-in-Chief in the Middle East, made a public declaration yesterday proclaiming the independence of Syria and fixing means by which this is to be carried into effect, subject only to the restrictions necessitated by the state of war.

WOP GARRISON SURRENDER

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—It is announced that Wolcheff Garrison in Abyssinia has surrendered to the British forces.

The garrison had received orders to cease hostilities from the Italian High Command.

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF DR. TUKA

JERUSALEM, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—An unsuccessful attempt on the life of Dr. Tuka, the puppet premier of Slovakia is reported in authoritative Czechoslovak circles in Jerusalem.

The would-be assassin was an officer in the Slovak Army and has been arrested.

HEMP ROPE FOR VLADIVOSTOCK

MANILA, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—The Soviet vessel Kovda is at present loading 214,000 kilos of hemp rope for Vladivostock.

The ship will also take a cargo of sugar.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT NOTE TO FINLAND

Will Be Forced To Treat Country As Open Enemy

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—The BRITISH GOVERNMENT Note sent to the FINNISH GOVERNMENT through the Norwegian Minister at Helsinki concerning Anglo-Finnish relations this week states:

"SO LONG AS FINLAND, IN ALLIANCE WITH GERMANY, IS CARRYING ON AGGRESSIVE WAR AGAINST AND ON THE TERRITORY OF THE ALLY OF GREAT BRITAIN, HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT IS BOUND TO CONSIDER FINLAND TO BE A MEMBER OF THE AXIS SINCE IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO SEPARATE THE WAR WHICH FINLAND IS WAGING AGAINST RUSSIA FROM THE GENERAL EUROPEAN WAR.

"If, therefore, the Finnish Government persists in invading purely Russian territory a situation will arise in which Great Britain will be forced to treat Finland as an open enemy, not only while the war lasts, but also when peace comes to be made.

"His Majesty's Government would greatly regret such developments in view of the friendship which has always existed between Great Britain and Finland.

"Although the Finnish Government has expelled the British Minister from Helsinki, His Majesty's Government is ready to overlook this act of discourtesy and would welcome an early restoration of normal diplomatic intercourse between the two countries. But the Finnish Government must realise that for this to be possible the first essential is that Finland should terminate her war against Russia and evacuate all the territories beyond her frontiers of 1939.

"As soon as this has been accomplished His Majesty's Government would be ready, for their part, to study sympathetically any proposals for the improvement of relations between Great Britain and Finland even though the continued presence of German armies on Finnish soil might render impossible at first the restoration of full diplomatic relations and resumption of overseas trade on the same basis as existed so long as Finland was still neutral."

UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING IN RUSSIA

MOSCOW, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—Preparations for universal military training, recently decreed, are in full swing in factories and offices. Training itself is due to begin in October.

Many Moscow plants and factories have already formed training units. Equipment classes and training grounds are nearing completion.

The registration of men to be trained has been completed in the Baku oilfields and plants. Special premises are being equipped for military training at the plants and the collective farms and State farms of Yaroslavl city and its region.

Baron Von Neurath Is Relieved Of Duties As Protector Of Bohemia

BERLIN, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—BARON VON NEURATH has been relieved of his duties as PROTECTOR OF BOHEMIA and MORAVIA at his own request.

This news was contained in the following message from Prague to the official German news agency:—

"The Reich Minister, Baron von Neurath, Protector of Bohemia and Moravia, who has found himself constrained, has asked the Fuehrer for long leave to restore his undermined health.

"In view of the fact that the present time of the war makes demands on the full attention of the Reich Protector, Baron von Neurath has at some time requested the Fuehrer to relieve him temporarily of his office of Reich Protector until his health has been restored and to appoint a deputy for that period.

"In view of the fact that the Fuehrer has acceded to the request of the Reich Protector and has entrusted SS. Obergruppenfuehrer Heydrich with the conduct of the office of Reich Protector of Bohemia and Moravia for the duration of Reich Minister von Neurath's absence.

SABOTAGE IN FACTORIES LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter)—

Today's News Summary

STRENUOUS FIGHTING IS continuing all along the Russian frontier. The Soviet still hold part, at least, of the island of Oesel. Rain has fallen in the Ukraine.

BARON VON NEURATH has, at his own request, been relieved of the post of Protector of Bohemia and Moravia. Attention is drawn to the fact that there has recently been much sabotage at Czech factories.

SPEAKING IN LONDON yesterday, Dr. Zing Yang Kuo said that China was destined to become a major power in world politics.

DR. WELLINGTON KOO, Chinese Ambassador to the Court of St. James's, presided at the morning session yesterday of the conference of world scientists in London.

THE TEXT IS PUBLISHED of the British Government Note to the Finnish Government.

CABLE NEWS ON PAGE SEVEN deals with the great battle for Odessa; Tokyo adherence to Tripartite Pact; Big Chinese offensive along eastern seaboard; Repayment of lease-land supplies.

REMARKABLE RECORD OF SUCCESSES SET BY DONALD BLACK: PLACED IN EVERY RACE

MR. DONALD BLACK, THE CHAMPION JOCKEY, celebrated the resumption of racing at the Valleys, after an interval of nearly four months, on Saturday by securing THREE WINS, ONE SECOND AND FIVE THIRDS IN NINE STARTS — OR, COMING IN AMONG THE FIRST THREE IN EVERY RACE ON THE PROGRAMME with the exception of two races reserved for novice riders! This remarkable achievement established a record which will be hard to beat.

Mr. Black was also responsible for the only record of the day when he skillfully piloted MAINSAIL to a brilliant victory in the main event of the day, the AUSTRALIAN SUBSCRIPTION PONIES AUTUMN PLATE IN 2.13 FLAT against the previous best time of 2.14.2 CLOVED BY FLEETWING AND CHEERFUL STAR.

Brilliant weather, a large attendance, exceedingly keen racing and satisfactory dividends contributed to the success of the Seventh Extra Race Meeting.

The highest dividend of the day was paid by Mountain View (\$507.00) and the next best by Haseasay (\$41.80). The Daily Double paid \$18.90 on each of the 500 winning tickets on the Robinson Nomine Poem combination. With the exception of the first two races and the eleventh event, the first prize on the Cash Sweeps was well over the \$3,000 mark.

Thirteen ponies faced the starter in the Australian Subscription Ponies Autumn Plate, over a distance of one and a quarter miles. On the rise of the barrier, Amulet Star (Craven) jumped to the lead followed by King's Flight and Mainsail with Jus Gentium with fourth. This order was maintained until the Rock when Mainsail went up to second position, with Jus Gentium hot on its heels. Coming down the incline Mainsail snatched the lead from Amulet Star which was beginning to show signs of tiring. On the home stretch, Jus Gentium went up to second position with Amulet Star third, and the winning post was passed in that order.

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SECOND-DAY PROGRAMME FOR EIGHTH EXTRA MEET

The following is the Second Day's programme for the Eighth Extra Race Meeting of the Hong Kong Jockey Club to be held at Happy Valley on Saturday Oct. 11, 1941.

1. 2 p.m.—Hunan Handicap—First Section—Winner \$800 Second \$350 Third \$250 For China Ponies.

2. 3 p.m.—Class Jockey Allowance—Entrance \$5 One and a Quarter Miles.

NOTE: One Entry only will be made for the Hunan Handicap (Races Nos 1 and 2). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

2. 30 p.m.—Billabong Stakes—First Section—Winner \$1,000 Second \$500 Third \$300 For Australian Subscription Ponies of 1941.

Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of \$200 or more in stakes barred Jockey Allowance Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About 1 Mile 155 Yards).

NOTE: One Entry only will be made for the Billabong Stakes (Races Nos 2 and 3). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3. 3 p.m.—October Handicap—Winner \$1,500 Second \$800 Third \$300 For China Ponies Winner of the Double Tenth Plate 1941 barred Entrance \$5 One and a Quarter Miles.

NOTE: Ponies to be ridden by Jockeys who have won at least 10 Official flat races anywhere or Jockeys approved by the Stewards.

4. 3.30 p.m.—Katoomba Handicap—First Section—Winner \$850 Second \$350 Third \$250 For Australian Ponies, "C" Class. Winners at this Meeting barred Jockey Allowance Entrance \$5 One Mile.

NOTE: One Entry only will be made for the Katoomba Handicap (Races Nos 4 and 5). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5. 4 p.m.—Diamond Bay Handicap—Winner \$1,100 Second \$550 Third \$350 For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Winners at this Meeting barred Entrance \$5 Six Furlongs.

NOTE: Ponies to be ridden by Jockeys who have won at least 10 Official flat races anywhere or Jockeys approved by the Stewards.

6. 4.30 p.m.—Billabong Stakes—Second Section.

(See Race No. 2)

7. 5 p.m.—Macquarie Plate—Winner \$1,250 Second \$600 Third \$350 For Australian Ponies, Griflins of this Season, Weight 145 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every 100 lb. or part thereof won in stakes. Winners of \$750 or more in stakes barred. Jockey Allowance Entrance \$5 Six Furlongs.

8. 5.30 p.m.—Hunan Handicap—Second Section.

(See Race No. 1)

9. 6 p.m.—Katoomba Handicap—Second Section.

(See Race No. 4)

Daily Double Event: Fifth and Seventh Races.

Entries Close at Noon on Thursday Oct. 2, 1941.

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SATURDAY'S CRICKET

AUSPICIOUS DEBUT OF C.B.A.

Cricket in Hongkong made a start in a small way on Saturday when two matches, an intra-club and a friendly, were played.

At Chater Road, Hongkong Cricket Club held a trial game between teams captained by R. D. Gillespie and Dr. L. T. Ride, resulting in a win for the latter.

Cub was without three of their stalwarts, Harry Owen-Hughes and the two Pearce brothers, Alec and John.

Gillespie's XI: 78 (G. P. Stone 22, C. W. E. Bishop 21, H. D. Bidwell 20, D. O. Parsons 3 for 9, H. V. Thorne 2 for 12).

Ride's XI: 183 (Thorne 35 retired, H. J. Armstrong 20, Dewar 1 for 14, Bidwell 1 for 17).

VARSITY BEATEN

In the other game Central British Association made their debut in local cricket with a 103-run win over University.

University: 82 (C. N. Matthews 53, N. L. Smith 4 for 19, J. V. G. Mitchell 4 for 31).

C.B.A.: 185 (W. Mulcahy 59 retired, Smith 50 not out, T. Lockhart 23, Amptman 5 for 59).

ARMY TRIAL

The Army held a trial at Soekunpoo in which "A" team beat "B" team by 127 runs to 108. No detail scores were kept.

POLICE DRAW AT CRICKET

In a friendly cricket match at Civil Service C.C. yesterday, Royal Naval Dockyard Police drew with the Police R.C.

Taking first lease of the wicket Dockyard Police knocked up 167 runs for 7 wickets before declaring their innings, main contributors being R. Burns 58, T. Willard 28 and H. Jackson 20.

Police bowlers shared the wickets, Danbrosky returning the best figures with 2 for 12.

Police lost nine wickets with only 69 runs on the board when stumps were drawn, A. Kirby being top scorer with 25, McGrath with 3 for 11 and L. Colbert with 3 for 14 were the most successful bowlers.

REDSHANK WINS SWEEPSTAKE RACE OF YACHT CLUB

The Sweepstake Race of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club sailed on Saturday resulted as follows:

Corrected Pos.

Redshank A10 16.21.37 1

(L. A. Ongstad).

True Blue, A11 16.22.17 2

(L. Garner).

Artemis, A4 16.23.32 3

(G. G. Wood).

Guri, A20 16.24.24 4

(S. K. Helberg).

Joss, A8 16.34.31 5

(G. Neve).

La Linda, A16 16.24.36 6

(P. D. A. Chidell).

Owl, G11 16.25.50 7

(W. F. Webb, H. Waller).

Maureen, A19 16.26.30 8

(D. Allen).

Gull, A9 16.26.36 9

(A. O. G. Mills).

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(J. Graf).

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(W. Temple).

Koala, A18 16.30.43 12

(Mr. and Mrs. Johnson).

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(L. P. Ralph).

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(M. H. L. Harrison).

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LEEDS SCORE BIG RUGBY WIN

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The following were the results of matches played in the Rugby League yesterday:

1. Batley 4, Dewsbury 5; Broughton 10, Hunslet 14; Featherstone 9, Halifax 14; Huddersfield 21, St. Helens 13; Hull 25, Wigan 14; Leeds 36, Bramley 8; Oldham 8, Castleford 3; Wakefield 7, Bradford Northern 16; York 6, Keighley 9.

TENNIS PLAYERS HONOURED

MONTREAL, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The former British tennis stars, now professionals, Miss Mary Hardwick, Mrs. Little, best known as Dorothy Round, and Fred Perry have been given the freedom of Montreal in recognition of their aid given to the Canadian Red Cross during a tennis tour of the Dominion, which raised \$800.

Kwong Wah Defeat Champions At C. Hill: 6 Goals For Royals

SAINTS SCORE HANDSOME WIN AGAINST POLICE

The Hongkong Football League made a grand debut on Saturday with a full complement of matches and, if performances and results are any criterion, the 1941-42 season should prove to be one of the most successful in the annals of the Association.

A major upset was caused yesterday when a strengthened KWONG WAH beat SOUTH CHINA, the holders, by two clear goals in a hard fought game at Caroline Hill, while NAVY, after holding ROYAL SCOTS to a one goal lead, faded out in the second half to lose by six nil.

POOR SHOWING BY ROYAL NAVY

After holding Royal Scots to a one goal lead at the interval, Royal Navy cracked up in the second half allowing the Royals to net five more goals without themselves replying.

From their showing yesterday, the Senior Service will have to show considerable improvement. On the whole they gave a rather disjointed display the forwards failing to strike up any combination worth mentioning. It must be stated, however, that in this respect they were given little chance.

To settle down as the result of keen tackling Scots defence, Naysmith and Fraser again showing that as a pair they had few equals in the Colony.

The game opened evenly with both sides taking up the offensive in turn and for the first 15 minutes of play it was apparent that each was feeling out the other's weakness. South China soon found one down the centre, Yeung Tse-tsung failing to check the opposing inside trio, but all their efforts were nullified by the sterling defence of Lee Kwok-wai and Chung.

Kwong Wah drew first blood shortly before the interval when Tsang, who should have clear, dilly-dallied with the ball and was robbed and from Wong's centre CHIN CHI-FAN beat Tam.

After the resumption, Lee Wai-long and Lee Tak-kee were seen to switch places and an immediate change took place. For the next 15 minutes or so the Caroline Hill men practically stormed the Kwong Wah's goal, and did everything but to score. Shots from Tak-kee, Chow and Shek-yau striking the p.s. From one of these melees Lee Wai-long netted but the goal was disallowed due to an off-side infringement.

Kwong Wah gained a respite and from a hefty clearance saw Chan Tak-fai on his own but he was blocked. The losers made another change in a desperate attempt to equalise. Lau Chung-sang moving up to the forward line, Chin Chi-fai (who did not impress) dropped back to left half with Wai-long again at centre-forward. This gained them no advantage as Kwong Wah clung tenaciously to their slim lead.

In the 25th minute the winners put the issue beyond doubt when they broke away and forced

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

FILM STARS CARRY GOOD LUCK CHARMS OR HAVE IDIOCRATIC HABITS

THEY SELDOM ADMIT THEY'RE ACTUALLY SUPERSTITIOUS, but few motion picture folks will deny they don't possess some necromantic good luck charm or idiosyncratic habit which they keep with them constantly in their work.

The peculiarities may vary from new shoes Joan Crawford insists on wearing for her first scene to Hedy Lamarr's practice of remaining abed on Friday, 13th but nevertheless they all have 'em.

LUCKY EIGHT

For actress Sonia Hinde, who lives in a house having an odd number of front steps, and Charles C. Booth exits from the same door through which she enters, Madeleine Carroll will take highly uncomfortable hotel rooms just so their numbers add up to her lucky eight and Dorothy Lamour won't play a death scene.

Before entering the army Jimmy Stewart wore the same shoes in each of his last 25 pictures. Brian Donlevy thinks wearing any clothing belonging to Clark Gable will bring him luck.

THE OLD CHAIR

Ann Sothern has an old wicker rocking chair she's kept in her dressing room for years and Norma Shearer wouldn't part with the make-up table she first started with and Rosalind Russell refuses to discard a tattered dressing gown.

Earliest movie superstitions include that of Cecil B. De Mille who started wearing a green hat in 1913 and, for years afterward used it for every picture he directed. Harold Lloyd always wore his original pair of horn-rimmed glasses in his first scenes.

STUDENTS ASSCN. ANNUAL MTG.

The Annual Meeting of the Students Association of the North China Training College was held at the College Hall on Saturday afternoon before a large gathering of students.

After the Hon. Secretary had read the report for the year 1940-1941, which included reports on parties, games, debates, and the summer school, the minutes were carried unanimously. In regard to the question of amendments and the election of officers for the coming year, it was decided to pass the amendments and then to adjourn the meeting in order to give past students time for consideration of the ballot if they wished to vote.

THOSE PRESENT

Among those present were: the Chairman, Mr. Wong To Lau; Hon. Sec. Mr. Cheng To Lam; Hon. Treasurer Mrs. Wal King Tuen; Hon. Pres. T. R. Rowell; Hon. Vice Pres. C. H. Cheng; Professor R. L. Forster; Mr. B. G. Walling; and Mr. C. N. Mycock.

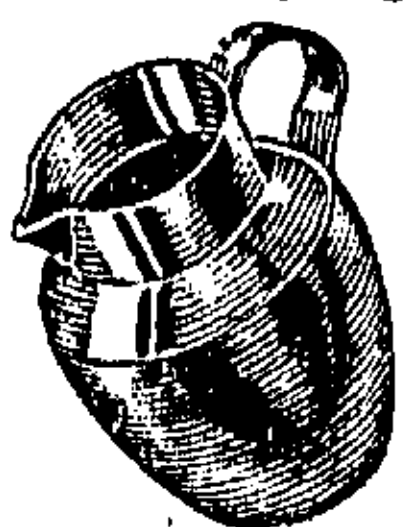
UNOFFICIALS REPLY TO HUSBANDS

It is learned that three Chinese Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council have replied to the communication sent to them by the Evacuation Representation Committee.

Mr. W. V. Taylor disclosed that copies of the Committee's resolution seeking an inquiry into the evacuation order had been sent to all Unofficial Members of the Council and the only reply received was from Hon. Mr. J. J. Paterson.

The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo stated on Saturday that copies dated Sept. 22 were received the following day and replies were sent on Sept. 25.

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THIS SILVER SALVER reflecting the pretty face of Miss Bette Davis, a Sydney Jewellery salesgirl, is one of a 530-piece set of silverware which has just been completed for the Australian Embassy in China, soon to be taken over by Sir Frederic Eggleston. A similar set of silver would cost a purchaser £1,000.

SIR ROBERT HO TUNG'S GRAND-NIECE WEDS IN 'SHAI

The wedding took place on Sept. 20 at 3.30 at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, of Mr. Kenneth Roberts, son of the late Mr. W. E. Roberts, and Miss Constance Anne Ho, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ho, of Hongkong, and grand-niece of Sir Robert Ho Tung, Dean A. C. S. Trivet officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her uncle, Mr. Ho Kwong, wore a gown of white jersey with a short train, high soft neckline and full bishop sleeves. Her short veil was of net and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and red roses.

The bridesmaid, Miss Alisa N. Stuart-Murray, was dressed in mustard-colored jersey with softy draped bodice fastened with a jewelled zipper and wide sash. Her small Juliet cap was of the same material with a short veil of matching colour, and her bouquet of tea-roses.

Mr. George Talbot was best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held at Sir Robert Ho Tung's residence, 457 Seymour Road.

REGISTRY WEDDINGS

The following marriages took place at the Registry Supreme Court on Saturday with Mr. J. Reynolds, Deputy Registrar officiating.

Mr. Low Boi merchant, of No. 1, Leung Cheung Street, and Miss Wong Mei Kuan, of No. 68, N. A. Tsin Loong Road.

Mr. Shum Wai tung, merchant, of No. 15, Yu Chow Street, and Miss Ip Yuet-ngo, of No. 778, Nathan Road.

LATEST RUMOURS DESCRIBED AS "GROUNDLESS"

Rumours current in town that telegraphic advice has been received by the Hongkong Government from the Governor of Kwong-chow-wan, that unless the export ban on gasoline is lifted by Oct. 1 the authorities in Kwong-chow-wan will impose an embargo on the export of livestock to this Colony, were described as "groundless" by an official spokesman when interviewed by the Hongkong Daily Press.

DR. ANNIE BESANT

Under the auspices of the Theosophical Society of Hongkong, Birthday Anniversary Celebration of Dr. Annie Besant will be held at the Shidhi Merchants' Club, 10 Queen's Road, Central, Wang Hing Building, 4th floor on Wednesday, Oct. 1, at 5.30 p.m. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

NEWSETTES

His Excellency Sir Mark Aitchison Young, K.C.M.G., has been pleased to accept the position of Honorary Colonel of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Mr. Cedric Blaker, M.C., resumed his appointment as a member of the Compulsory Service Tribunal and of the Evacuation Advisory Committee on Sept. 18, 1941.

Mr. Ronald Dare Gillespie has been appointed an additional member of the Evacuation Advisory Committee with effect from Sept. 21, 1941.

Mr. William John Perry, Consul for Honduras at Hongkong, resigned his office on Sept. 15, 1941.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognise Mr. Geoffrey McKim, Honorary Consul for Ecuador at Hongkong, as being in charge of Ecuadorian interests in the Colony.

Private James A. Liddell, O'Neill Shaw, Eric Guard Price, William Henry Stanwood Davis and Charles Young have been permitted to quit the Hongkong Defence Reserve.

Arthur John Collins Taylor has been enrolled in the Key Posts Group of the Hongkong Defence Reserve.

Charles Raymond Maurice Lawrence has been enrolled in the General Group for Essential Services and Cyril Robert William Thomson in the Key Posts Group of the Hongkong Defence Reserve.

Tenders are invited for the supply of 4,800 brake blocks (cast iron) for the K.C.R. for water tanks, and for the construction of eight keepers quarters at Lam Tong Island.

Mr. J. P. Pennefather-Evans, Commissioner of Police, will address the Hongkong Rotary Club at its weekly fifth meeting tomorrow on "From Lagos to Singapore by Air".

A sum of £10,000 has been allocated by the Carnegie Trust for equipment for youth organisations in Great Britain during 1941-2. It is announced by the Board of Education. A fund of £3,000 has been set aside for loans for replacement of equipment lost by youth organisations through enemy action.

Sir Kenneth Eliston, Poyser, D.S.O., Chief Justice, Federated Malay States, has been appointed legal adviser in the Dominions Office and the Colonial Office in succession to Sir Henry Gratian Bushe, recently appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados.

Warrington has received the first of eleven mobile canteens given by residents of Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia, through the Lord Mayor of London's National Air Raid Distress Fund. Others are to go to Manchester, Oldham, Leeds, Sheffield, Hull, and Bristol.

A gift of £10,000 from the Nuffield organisation has been sent to Lord Beaverbrook, Minister of Supply, for the purchase of a cruiser tank, to be named the "Nuffield Crusader." Half the amount is contributed by the factories and half by Lord Nuffield.

Mr. Americo Valente, Asst. Postmaster General of Macao, who is on sick leave, is convalescing in the Colony. It is learned that Mr. Valente will remain here for over a month. Mrs. Valente and her two charming daughters accompanied her husband.

Rice may be purchased for as small amounts as three cents from any of the eight Government subsidised cargo rice depots which were opened by the Rice Monopoly during last week.

The Soviet Ambassador, M. Alexandre Semionovitch Panouchev, was entertained at dinner on Thursday evening by the Foreign Minister, Dr. Quo Tai-chi. A number of high Government officials were present, including Generals Feng Yu-hsiang, Shang Cheng, Ho Yao-tsu and others.

The French Ambassador, M. Henri Cosme, who left Tientsin on Wednesday by steamer, is due in Shanghai today. M. Cosme went to North China several months ago to spend his summer.

Band Concert & Barbecue

K.C.C. FUNCTION WELL ATTENDED

The open Air Band Concert at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday night, in aid of the Bomber Fund and the B.W.O.F., attracted an attendance of about 800, the majority of whom remained for the barbecue and dance that followed.

The Band of the 1st Bn. The M. G. S. Regiment, conducted by Mr. W. E. Kifford, A.R.C.M. Bandmaster, contributed an excellent programme of music, a piece that was particularly well received being a Cornet Solo. Stalietta on the programme by special request.

The Band was present by kind permission of Lt.-Col. H. W. M. Stewart, O.B.E., R.C., and the Officers of the 1st Bn. The Mid Devon Regiment and later provided the dance orchestra.

GOVERNOR PRESENT

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Mark Young, K.C.M.G., accompanied by Captain S. H. Batty-Smith, A.D.C., honoured the occasion by his attendance and was received by the President of the K.C.C. Mr. Ezra Abraham.

Present also were the Hon. Capt. A. C. Callinson, R.N., Major J. L. Willocks, Lt.-Col. Stewart, Major Marsh, Mr. B. Wythe, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hawkins, Mr. B. D. Evans, Mr. D. J. N. Anderson and many others.

WATCH RAFFLE

An Eluga wrist watch was put up for auction in the course of the evening and was successfully bid for and returned to the auctioneer no fewer than six times to fetch \$915 for the Bomber Fund and B.W.O.F.

A raffle was conducted on ticket numbers, the winning tickets being Nos. 93, 929, 686, 898, 272, 56, 1000, 283, 176, 412 and 602.

The building and grounds of the K.C.C. were attractively lit up for the occasion, lighting being contributed by Wm. C. Jack and Coy., Ltd., assisted by Mr. Conor. The power was contributed by the China Light and Power Coy. Ltd.

"BARON OF BEEF"

The barbecue involved a whole baron of beef, though this was well-taken care of before the venue was too old.

Dancing continued well past 2 o'clock and the party reluctantly broke up.

Arrangements for the occasion, ably handled, were in the hands of a Committee of Messrs. R. T. Burch, R. Leigh and T. W. Carr, with Capt. A. C. Houghton as Convener.

HON. A.D.C.'S TO GOVERNOR

An announcement that several residents have been appointed Honorary Aides-de-Camp with effect from September 10 is announced in the Government Gazette. Those persons are:

Mr. Fung Ping-fan (St. John Ambulance Association and Brigade); Mr. Ts'o Tsun-on (Hongkong Police Reserve); Mr. K. A. Bidmead (Hongkong Police); Lt. T. M. Parsons (Hongkong Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve); Subadar Major Sultan Eux (Hongkong and Singapore Royal Artillery); Lt. Lt. M. N. Oxford (Reserve of Air Force Officers); Subadar Major Haidar Rehman (2nd Battalion, 14th Punjab Regiment); Mr. Wong Sik-kuen (Corps of Air Raid Wardens); Lt. K. E. Young (1st Battalion, The Middlesex Regiment, Duke of Cambridge's Own); Subadar Karnail Singh (Hongkong Singapore Royal Artillery).

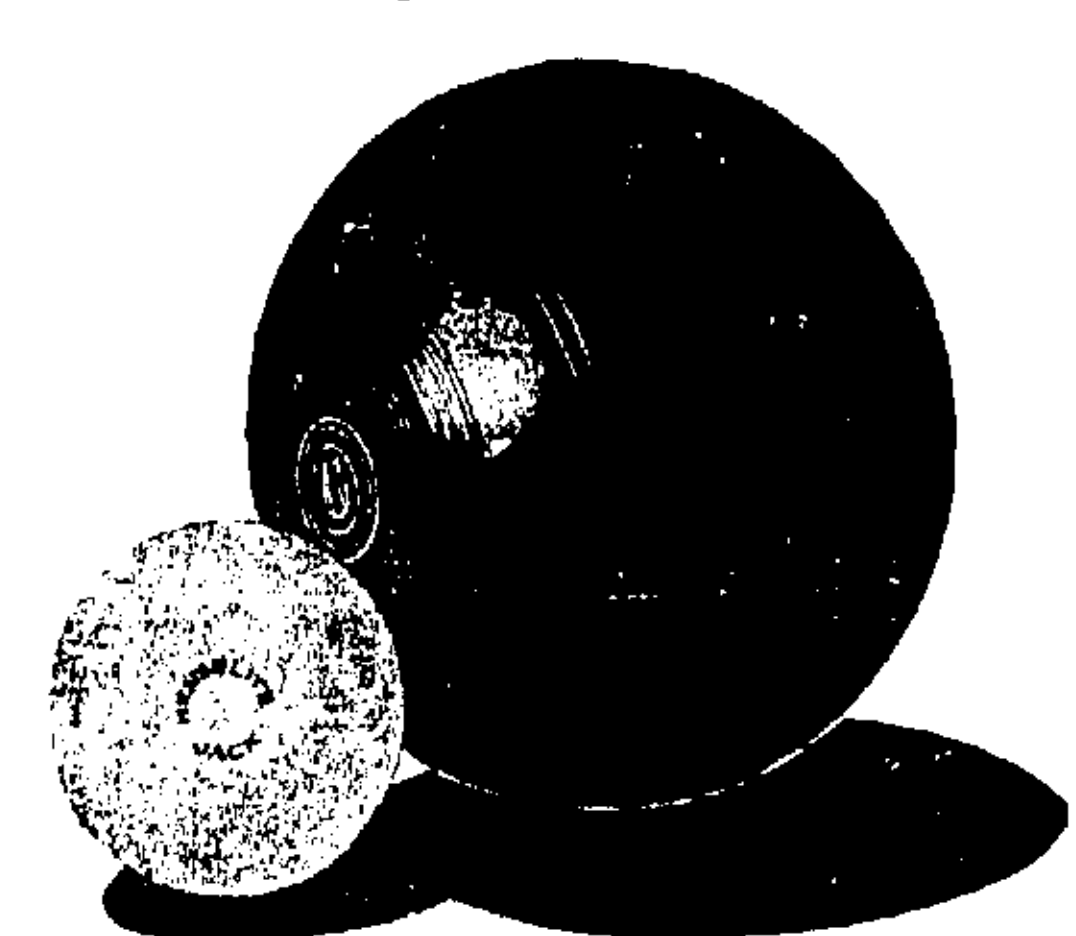
Lt.-Comdr. W. H. L. Harrison (Royal Navy); Capt. Christopher D'Almada e Castro (Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps) and 2/Lt. M. G. Carruthers (Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps).

SOLEMN PROCESSION AT ST. TERESA'S

A solemn procession in honour of St. Teresa of the Child Jesus was held at St. Teresa's Church yesterday afternoon and was largely attended.

In the morning, a High Mass was performed by H.E. Mons. H. Valtorta, who also preached the sermon.

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A. B. PURVIS,

Water Authority.

Public Works Department,

Hong Kong, 21st Sept., 1941.

CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO. LTD.

Reminder to Shareholders.

Holders of 1941 Issue Shares are reminded that the first call of \$1.00 per share in respect thereof is payable to the Bankers of the Company, the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., on 30th SEPTEMBER, 1941.

Hong Kong, 27th Sept., 1941.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF NEE LANG late of the Douglas Steamship Company Limited P. & O. Building Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong Chief Engineer deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of the provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897 made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to 23rd October, 1941.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

DEACONS.

Solicitors for the Executors,
1, Des Voeux Road Central,
Hong Kong.

IN HONOUR OF MME. CHIANG

A Ming dynasty porcelain elephant, formerly property of the Imperial Palace in Peking, recently entered the portals of the Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass. U.S.A., doing honour to its most distinguished Chinese graduate, Madame Chiang Kai-shek, who received her degree in 1917. It is learned in Chungking.

The rare gift comes from Miss Caroline Hazard, President of the Wellesley College. "In some small recognition of the work" which Madame Chiang "has nobly done" along with her husband for China and the Chinese people.

In a letter to Madame Chiang informing her of the gift, Miss Hazard wrote in part: "It has always been a great pleasure to me looking at that elephant. He is so calm and unafraid and, it seems to me, would be really a worthy memorial of you in your own college some mail recognition of the work you have nobly done."

Miss Hazard believes the expression of steadfastness and dignity on the elephant's face might be the spirit of Cathay. (Central News).

The engagement is announced of Alexandra, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Chelms, of Shanghai, and Herbert Stott, of Lancashire, England.

DEATH NOTICE

HARROP. Suddenly at his home 17 Peak Mansions, Four Kow on the morning of 29th September, Joseph Harrop. The funeral will be held on Monday at 5.30 p.m. on Monday 29th September.

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PACIFIC LINKS

THE APPOINTMENT of an Australian Minister to China and a Chinese Minister to Australia is yet another demonstration of the close relationship between the two countries.

The placing of such highly qualified men as Sir Frederick Harrop and Mr. H. M. Smith in the Chinese and Australian capitals, respectively, has strengthened further the links in the chain of resistance to aggression which has stretched from the west to the east a chain which has been forged to safeguard the whole system of international morality which is menaced by totalitarianism. It shows further that Australia, too, as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, sought to understand and study the Chinese viewpoint in the struggle for right against might as it has become her duty to do so. Chinese reciprocation of this attitude can now be expected with the similar appointment of a Minister to Australia.

THERE is no doubt of the great service towards this goal of close understanding and co-operation which Sir Frederick can perform. A scholar of repute, Sir Frederick will be interpreting his fellow citizens fairly and accurately if he conveys to the Chinese people that Australia has been watching their struggle as a refreshing reminder that material welfare is but a small part of national purpose and that, in the long run all Pacific peoples will be the richer for their struggles, their sufferings and their triumph. Mr. Hsu Mo, on his part, will be able to tell the people of Australia of China's willingness to continue to play her part as a link in the Democratic chain. He will be able to make the people of Australia appreciate the value of the sacrifices she has made and will make them understand that their co-operation and assistance is a material factor in her struggle for freedom and independence and world peace.

LESSON FOR H.K.

THE SLIGHT DUST that was raised in the Australian Parliament over the alleged spending of Government funds for other purposes than they were intended provides an excellent lesson for our own administration. The amount involved in the charges which Mr. Curtin, the Australian Labour Leader, made was only £4,800 and yet the question of its expenditure was not only made a reason for a motion of censure on the Government, but has resulted in the announcement that a Royal Commission would be appointed to inquire fully into the charges made in order to clarify the position to the satisfaction of all parties.

INTERNED CHINESE SOLDIERS

"It is not up to the Hongkong Government to say whether the interned Chinese soldiers are to be released or even to be employed on some work," said an official spokesman in an interview with the Hongkong Daily Press.

"Those who spread the rumours about the impending release of these soldiers seemed to have forgotten the fact that the men were interned according to International Law. They were combatant members of a belligerent country and had, therefore, to be disarmed and interned for the duration of the war when they sought sanctuary here. It is as absurd to say that they would be released as that they are to be handed over to the Japanese authorities."

"Britain remains neutral in the Sino-Japanese conflict and its actions regarding the treatment of the interned soldiers must therefore be in accordance with International Law."

CHINESE SOLDIERS

The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lee, on the subject of the interned Chinese soldiers, said that the Government would consider the matter in the light of the facts and circumstances. He said that the Government would consider the matter in the light of the facts and circumstances.

The Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Secretary of the Chinese Community, said that the interned soldiers were being treated in accordance with the provisions of the Geneva Convention.

ORTHOPAEDIC APPEAL

The following is the latest list of subscriptions received to date for credit of the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Orthopaedic Centres.

Previously acknowledged \$112,483.26

Mr. Lan Tse Ching, \$10, The Hongkong International Medical Relief Committee, 500, Mr. Leung Chi Ling, 10, Mr. Kan Che Nam, 20, Mr. H. E. Lanepart, 10, Mr. Lau King Tsing, 20, The Hongkong Chinese Civil Servants Club, 50, Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Nedra, in memory of late Mr. Dennis E. Smith, 10, Y's Men's Club of Hongkong, 200. Total \$113,313.26

THREE INJURED IN MOTOR COLLISION

At about 10.17 p.m. on Saturday night an accident occurred just off the Naval Terrace resulting in three persons being injured, one rather seriously.

The car, which was driven by Wong Chi-ying, collided with a tram as it was taking the bend off the Naval Terrace. The car was badly damaged while the tram sustained nothing more than a dent.

The three occupants of the car, were taken to the Queen Mary Hospital but only the driver was detained. The tram car resumed service after delay of 20 minutes.

Indeed, the Government of Australia was quick to take the hint provided by the narrow margin by which the motion was defeated and a full investigation has now been promised.

IN HONGKONG for years extravagance in Government expenditure has been permitted to go on unchecked. Millions of dollars have been frittered away with a nonchalance that has perhaps been unparalleled with little benefits to show for it. Recent disclosures have brought to light further evidence of the negligence shown by Government in expenditure of public funds and daily it is becoming clearer that action similar to that taken by the Australian Government will become necessary to bring about a satisfactory clean-up of Government departments where graft and corruption have been thriving in the past. The public, from whom the revenue for this Colony is derived, are justified in their demand for a full inquiry covering every Government activity in which large sums of money are expended.

ALL MEDICAL PREPARATIONS SUBJECT TO TAX

INTERVIEW WITH MR. TODD

All medical preparations, with the exception of those substances made and sold under the name or synonym specified in the British Pharmacopoeia or the British Pharmaceutical Codex (commonly referred to by the trade as B. P. C.), are subject to tax, said the HON. MR. R. R. TODD, Financial Secretary, in an interview with the Hongkong Daily Press.

Asked whether medical preparations sold in bulk or sold loose without any trade mark or label, were exempted from tax, Mr. Todd replied in the affirmative.

The Financial Secretary amplified his statement by giving castor oil as an example. This product is also ordered by dealers in bulk that is, packed in barrels for re-packing under the buyers' own trade mark or trade name.

It said from the barrel without the label of the bottle or other container no tax need be paid. If, on the other hand, the oil is sold in a bottle and sealed with a cork, it is subject to being taxed.

Medical preparations made according to a doctor's prescription are not subject to tax said Mr. Todd even if it should call for the inclusion of proprietary medicines in its preparation.

SUDDEN DEMISE OF MR. J. HARROP

News of the sudden death of Mr. Joseph Harrop at his home at Peak Mansions on Saturday morning will come as a shock to his many friends in the Colony.

Mr. Harrop came to Hongkong about 18 years ago from the well-known place goods firm of Messrs. Jacob Behrens to join Messrs. James H. Backhouse, Ltd., Hongkong. On the death of Mr. Backhouse some 8 years ago Mr. Harrop became Managing Director of the firm.

He was appointed Business Manager to the Food Control Department, Hongkong, about five months ago.

His wife and daughter are in Vancouver.

The funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. today.

Earthquake During Solar Eclipse

An earthquake occurred in Shikwan at 1.25 p.m. on Sept. 21 during the total solar eclipse. It lasted for a few seconds. A message from Nanyang states that the earthquake was also felt there. (Central News).

RATES DUE

Owners and occupiers of tenements are notified in the Government Gazette that rates for the fourth quarter of 1941 are payable in advance on or before October 31, and that proceedings will be taken in the Supreme Court for the recovery of rates which remain unpaid by November 29.

No refund of rates in respect of vacant tenements will be granted unless the rates had been paid during October nor unless the application for refund is made within 15 days from the expiration of the quarter.

Owners and occupiers of tenement are also notified that fees for conservancy services for the period July 1, 1941, to March 31, 1942, are payable within the month of October 1941, and that action will be taken for recovery if such fees are not paid by October 31. No refund of fees in respect of vacant tenement will be granted.

It was announced in the House of Commons on July 18 that changes in the law of marriage are to be embodied in a bill which relates particularly to the publication of banns. As the law is at present, a marriage must be solemnised in one of the parishes in which banns of marriage have been published. This often creates difficulties when a soldier is moved. It is understood that the new bill will allow a soldier to be married in the parish in which he finds himself, provided banns have been published in the parish in which they were originated.

A well fed hen means a greater producer of eggs.

CLAIM FOR PREMISES

Judgment Awarded To Defendant

A claim for possession of the premises Nos. 158-160 Austin Road was brought by the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America against John James Cameron, engineer, of No. 158 Austin Road before the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor, at the Supreme Court on Saturday.

Plaintiffs were represented by Mr. Harold Lee, instructed by Mr. H. J. Armstrong, while Mr. George She, instructed by Mr. H. N. Chau, was for the defendant.

Plaintiffs claimed possession of the premises which they had agreed to sell to the Daughters of the Canossian Institute which agreement would be rescinded if possession was not obtained within a month. Defendant relied for his defence on the Prevention of Eviction Ordinance.

AGREED FACTS

Mr. She asked that defendant be given judgment on the agreed facts as set out. He said that defendant had spent \$7,500 on furnishing the premises which were partly occupied by himself and partly as a boarding house. Mr. She submitted that if the tenant was required to show that there was hardship the landlord should show that there was greater hardship on him.

Mr. Lee said that the premises were required for use as a school, and for accommodation for the teachers. Alternative accommodation had been offered defendant Mr. Lee further argued that as defendant had made use of the premises as a dwelling house it did not come under the Ordinance.

Giving judgment with costs to defendant his Lordship said he would give his reasons in writing.

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NEW LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS

A National Government mandate issued appointed Mr. Lien Sheng-hai and Mr. H. F. Chu members of the Legislative Yuan. Mr. Lien was formerly acting Minister of Railways and Mr. Chu is Chinese labourers' delegate to the forthcoming International Labour Conference in New York.

Messrs. Tang Chih-hsen, Wang Shih-to, Hu Chih-hsen, Yang Chung-chung and Liu Wen-hai taken in the Supreme Court for the recovery of rates which remain unpaid by November 29.

No refund of rates in respect of vacant tenements will be granted unless the rates had been paid during October nor unless the application for refund is made within 15 days from the expiration of the quarter.

Owners and occupiers of tenement are also notified that fees for conservancy services for the period July 1, 1941, to March 31, 1942, are payable within the month of October 1941, and that action will be taken for recovery if such fees are not paid by October 31. No refund of fees in respect of vacant tenement will be granted.

It was announced in the House of Commons on July 18 that changes in the law of marriage are to be embodied in a bill which relates particularly to the publication of banns. As the law is at present, a marriage must be solemnised in one of the parishes in which banns of marriage have been published. This often creates difficulties when a soldier is moved. It is understood that the new bill will allow a soldier to be married in the parish in which he finds himself, provided banns have been published in the parish in which they were originated.

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GERMAN OBJECTIVES ON EASTERN FRONT IN TERMS OF LAND AND WATER

"The fall of Leningrad would mean the loss of Russian naval control of the Baltic and that in its turn would mean that the great arm of the Baltic, known as the Gulf of Finland, could be used as an avenue of supply by the Germans," said CAPT. CYRIL FALLS, military correspondent of THE TIMES and a well-known commentator on land warfare, when he broadcast from London on Saturday.

"For the first time since the Russian counter-attacks in the area of Smolensk began nearly four weeks ago we have had an authoritative account from the Russian side of what they have achieved," said Capt. Falls.

THE FIRST TIME

"We learn that on a front of sixty miles, they have advanced to a minimum depth of six and a maximum depth of thirty miles, and that ten German Divisions have been destroyed and that ten others have been brought up to reinforce the yielding front."

"This is the first time since this war began that the German army has been so treated and that a slice of territory which they had overrun has been regained. So far these operations by Marshal Timoshenko must be considered more tactical rather than strategic and they have not spread their influence to other parts of the front. We hope that will come, but it is too early to prophesy that it will."

"Another point is that the enemy does not seem to have struck back hard in these reverses in this sector he is on the defensive. He has been digging trenches and erecting fortifications. This is probably due to lack of resources and fighting vehicles and petrol to keep the whole front supplied on the scale required for major operations. But because the enemy sits down on one part of the front and temporarily abandons his drive against Moscow does not mean that he is any the less dangerous."

VITAL OBJECTIVES

"The most vital objectives are in the East Ukraine and the Caucasus where he has gained successes. There rapid movement has been continued and if the Germans were to obtain control of the country north of the Black Sea to Kharkov and of the waters of the Black Sea, they would be able to push their offensive northwards and it would be easy to see how powerful that would be."

"Although at first it seemed that the enemy was trying to pass the Crimea and press on past it in the direction of Moscow, I always felt that the Crimea would play an important part in the German plan. Someone said to me the other day that he could not understand why people thought that the Crimea was so significant. Surely, he said, the Germans would try to drive straight forward to their objective. To this I answered that it would be better for the Germans to have the Black Sea at their disposal and to be able to use it in comparative safety. One medium-sized ship after all will carry as much as a thousand lorries."

"If the Germans were to conquer the Crimea, it cannot be supposed that the Russian Black Sea Fleet could use the Crimean bases and if the Germans were to establish a sufficient number of bombers there, the Russians might find it necessary to withdraw their fleet."

"Here the Germans are trying to push the Russian forces to the Black Sea by manoeuvre. This is only the first step to a grand control of the whole Black Sea. But that is not the whole significance of the Crimean Peninsula. It is close to the Caucasus and is suitable as an air base against the Caucasus and will hold special advantages for airborne troops which Germany is reported to have assembled in Rumania and Bulgaria. That is the great danger now."

LENINGRAD POSITION

"Now let us turn to the Leningrad operations," continued Capt. Falls. "We have all made plenty of mistakes about the Russian campaign and I have been no exception, but I have always expressed my confidence that Leningrad could not possibly be rushed and could be attacked only by slow and costly stages of siege warfare. This resistance of the Russians provides the most heroic episodes of the past two years."

"From the military point of view, the Germans are not very much nearer to taking Leningrad than they were three weeks ago, but if the re-

ports are true that the public services of lighting and water have been interfered with by bombardment, then the situation must have become more serious."

GERMAN EAGERNESS

"The Germans are now making every attempt to capture the city quickly. If Leningrad were to fall it would be a great swing south-eastwards. But there is another point which I want to emphasise. The fall of Leningrad would mean the loss of Russian naval control of the Baltic and that in its turn would mean that the great arm of the Baltic, known as the Gulf of Finland, could be used as an avenue of supply by the Germans. The Gulf of Finland did not rebound but it would be a normal season for three months."

"That I think is enough to explain why the Germans are so eager to see the fall of Leningrad. I still see no immediate signs of this happening, but what its brave citizens are suffering can hardly be overestimated."

I have been talking of Germany's objects in terms of land and water and factories and airfields and ports, but there is one object to which one may attribute even more importance. That is the German aim of destroying the Russian armed forces. The Germans know that there are limits to Russian trained man power and they want to crush it before Russia's vast reserves of untrained man-power can be trained and brought against her."

INDIAN TROOPS IN COLONY

Welfare Work During Current Year

Members of the local Indian Community will be interested to know what welfare work is being done for Indian soldiers in the Colony. During the current year \$3,500 has been sent for their benefit by the Indian Government.

This money together with a share of funds sent from England for the garrison has been spent on radio sets for the Indian Wing of the Combined Military Hospital, Hongkong Singapore Royal Artillery and Hongkong Mule Corps. Other units already have improved sets and these have been improved by the addition of amplifiers and extra loud speakers so that radio programmes can be relayed to different rooms in the barracks.

Some Indian units maintain clubs for Indian officers and other ranks. Grants have been made to them to provide articles to brighten up the club rooms while carpets and rattan chairs belonging to the Garrison Welfare Society have been lent during the absence of the British women and children.

Gifts in kind such as soap, vests, chutney pickles etc., are sent from India from time to time and distributed. Small supplies of Indian papers are obtained from India and are issued to units and a consignment of Indian Gramophone records has been promised by Lady Orde, of the Punjab Amities Fund.

SPORTS EQUIPMENT

It has not been possible to give large grants for sports equipment but contributions for this object have been made to Officers Commanding Indian units. Hockey equipment and bathing pants for Royal Artillery recruits from India has been purchased from the fund maintained for the provision of general amenities by the General Officer Commanding.

Army Headquarters, India, the Bengal Joint War Committee, the Bombay Punjab Amities for Troops Committees and the Indian Red Cross take a great interest in the welfare of troops here and show it in a practical way.

Till recently gifts from these bodies have been distributed and funds administered by Command Headquarters direct. This work is now in the hands of the newly constituted Command Welfare Board.

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COMING EVENTS

SEPT

29—Tides:—High 1.19 a.m. & 7.14 p.m.; Low 12.04 a.m. & 10.25 p.m.
Sunrise: 7.14 a.m.; Sunset: 7.12 p.m.
Crown Land Sale P.W.D. Office, 4 p.m.

H.K. Softball Assn. annual meeting, Philpott Club, 5.45 p.m.
Parochial Committee Meeting, Rosary Church, 6 p.m.

St. John's Cathedral Church Meeting, Cathedral Hall, 8.45 p.m.
St. Andrew's (Medical) War Work, 10 a.m.

Ladies' Working Party, B.W.O.P., Govt. House, 8 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.
European Y.M.C.A. War Week, 8 a.m. to noon.

30—Tides:—High 5.43 a.m. & 5.39 p.m.; Low 1.12 a.m. & 12.27 p.m.
Sunrise: 7.14 a.m.; Sunset: 7.13 p.m.
Boys' Club Tiffin, H.K. Hotel, 10 p.m.

Meeting to discuss formation of H.K.A.A. West Lounge, 6.45 p.m.
Little Flower Club, mutual Aid House, 7.45 p.m.

Cherry Club Whist Drive, 8 p.m.
Bachelors in St. John's Cathedral Hall, 8 p.m.

Lecture for A.N.S. Dr. Talbot on Tropical Diseases, Helena May Institute, 8.30 p.m.

Discussion: Basis of World Peace, St. Andrew's Church Hall, 8.30 p.m.

1—Tides:—High 6.31 a.m. & 5.31 p.m.; Low 1.34 p.m.
Sunrise: 6.45 a.m.; Sunset: 6.47 p.m.
Cherry Club Dance, 8.30 p.m.

2—Tides:—High 7.37 a.m. & 9.01 p.m.; Low 1.11 a.m. & 2.13 p.m.
Sunrise: 6.45 a.m.; Sunset: 6.41 p.m.

Premiere Performance of "Lads Hamilton" in Aid of R.N. Benevolent and Charitable Funds, Lee Theatre, 9.30 p.m.

Cherry Club Bridge and Mahjong, Y.M.C.A. Club Tiffin, St. Francis Hotel, 1 p.m.

St. Andrew's (Medical) War Work, 10 a.m.

Entries Close for Eighth Race Meet of H.K. Jockey Club, noon

"AT THE WAX MUSEUM"

"Comedy, Chills, Thrills. It's Great. Tense entertainment." "The best Chan hit yet." "Has a new appeal."

That's what critics are saying about the latest 20th Century-Fox hit, "Charlie Chan at the Wax Museum." It is the seventh of the popular series in which Sidney Toler has appeared, and judging by its reception so far, it's the best yet.

Directed by Lynn Shores, the latest Chan mystery has a top-notch cast of carefully selected players, supporting Sidney Toler. Sen Yung, familiar as "No. 2 Son" as back C. Henry Gordon is seen as the proprietor of the Crime Museum while pretty Joan Valerie plays his late Marguerite Chapman, former John Powers model, is a newspaper reporter and Ted Osborn, a crime league radio programme director.

For the settings in "Charlie Chan at the Wax Museum," at the Majestic Theatre, 20th Century-Fox constructed a wax museum covering an entire sound stage.

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9.00 p.m. Indian Programme, 6.45 Closing Local News, Quotations, 6.47. Thomas Concerto No. 1 in E Minor, Op. 11, 3rd Mov. Allegro maestoso, 6.50, 2nd Mov. Romance—Larghetto, 6.55, 3rd Mov. Rondo—Vivace, Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by John Baranoff, 7.22 The London Philharmonic Orchestra and Tiana Lemnitz (Sop.) Overture "Die Meistersinger" (Wagner)—London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by George Szell, The Willow Song from "Otello" (Boito-Verdi)—Tiana Lemnitz (Soprano) with Orchestra, Overture "Der Freischütz" (Weber)—London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham, Vanished Art, Ye from "Le Nozze Di Figaro" (Mozart)—Tiana Lemnitz with Orchestra, Oberon Overture (Weber)—London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham, 8.00 London Relay—The News, 8.15 London Relay—War Commentary, 8.25 London Relay—Listening Post, 8.30 London Relay—Points in Daily Comment, 8.35 Propaganda, 8.36 Programme Summary, 8.37 Prime Scott's Seven Band and Sam Brown, Variety, De Lyssa (Gilbert-Nichols), Bee-Dee-Hey, Man-Lombardo—Prime Scott's Accordion Band, 8.45 From Film "A Night at the Opera", Let's Face The Music and Dance, From Film "Follow The Fleet", Berlin, Sam Brown with Orchestra, Hill-Rick Medley—Intro The Last Round-up, Will The Angels Play, Then Harp For Me? Home On The Range, Western Wheels, One Faithful Rel, Along, Covered Wagon, Prime Scott's Accordion Band, Rhythm in My Nerves, Raymes, Concert and Chaplin, Sam Brown and The Rhythm Sisters, The Same Old Lovers, Lane, Martin, Captain Rome, Sons Of The Old Contemptibles, Watson, Watson, Linton, Dorothy, Prime Scott's Accordion Band

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10.00 London The News and News Commentary, 10.15 Dance Music, 10.20 Fox-Trot, My Heart Belongs To Danny, 10.25 Fox-Trot, Most Gentleman Don't Take Love, Jack, Byron, and His Orchestra, Fox-Trot, The Pretty Little Quaker Girl, Waltz, Little Sir Echo, Manofani, and His Orchestra, Swing, Fox-Trots, Good For Nothing, Bug Love, Betty, Cake, Patty, Cake, "Fats" Waller and His Rhythmic Rumbas, Truett, Snoddy, Astor, Jo Brito and His Orchestra, Swing, Fox-Trots, Frangie, And Joanne, Where Is Alexander?, The Six Seasons, Tangos, Yo, Sere, Como, Tu, Quieras, Suphine, Orquesta, Tiquan, Francisco, Canaro, Fox-Trots, The Night, (Will be My Souvenir), Honolulu, From MGM Film, Honolulu, Tommy Dorsey and His Orchestra, 11.00 London News From Home, Discussion by Howard Mitchell, 11.15 Close Down

12.15 p.m. Short Service of Intercession, 12.30 A Variety Programme, 1.00 Local Time Signal and Programme Summary, 1.02 Composition of Gerstwin, 1.30 Rector and Rector's Press and Announcements, 1.

OVER 50 THOUSAND RUMANIANS KILLED BATTLE FOR ODESSA

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The defenders of Odessa have successfully resumed the initiative by driving the enemy back in a north-westerly direction.

This was announced, according to a Berne despatch to the NEW YORK TIMES yesterday, in a special broadcast from Odessa on Friday night.

An authoritative Soviet military commentator announced that in a two-day offensive around the northern end of the lagoon forming the mouth of the Dniester, the Russians have driven the enemy out of the strategically important towns of Karmassay and Elgnheim.

Russian military has established a position on top of an important height south of Elgnheim, from which they are pounding the enemy.

The commentator added that German and Rumanian losses in killed alone are over 50,000.

RUMANIANS DEMORALISED

According to Ankara radio the Rumanian forces around Odessa are demoralised. Ankara radio said all hospitals in Rumania are filled with wounded and that houses were commandeered in Bucharest for thousands more.

A war correspondent reported yesterday that the Soviet army and the political commissars are working together closely. Commissars in many cases lead troops into battle though the Germans have threatened them with instant death if captured.

The Russian midnight communiqué said that on Wednesday 113 enemy planes were downed for the loss of 29 Russian aircraft.

RAF fighters the communiqué added continue to support Russian bombers on offensive operations.

LENINGRAD BATTLE

Russian successes around Leningrad, with the infliction of severe losses on the Germans and Finns, were recounted in a broad cast from Leningrad yesterday.

"The unit of the famous Colonel Bondarev in co-operation with artillery and fighting with great courage and success killed at least 2,000 German soldiers, broke through the enemy lines and pursued the retreating enemy, occupying several villages.

APPEAL FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR A.N.S.

SIMLA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Appealing for women volunteers for the Auxiliary Nursing Service, Lady Linlithgow, wife of the Viceroy of India, in a broadcast yesterday said, "The war draws nearer to India and I beseech you to wait until it reaches us."

"Only too frequently the stimulus of immediate danger is required to bring home to us the urgency of our needs. Don't let this happen to the nursing service."

She added, "If you let this opportunity slip, the time may come when you will reproach yourselves for your reluctance to come forward when your services were so much required."

"Make sure this will not happen and that you will be able to look the world in the face and say, 'We answered the call and gave of our best.'"

U.S. ON THRESHOLD OF WORLD WAR

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—"The United States stands today on the threshold of World War Number Two," said Colonel Frank Knox, U.S. Secretary of Navy, in an article in the FOREIGN COMMERCE WEEKLY yesterday.

The article continues: "It is imperative that we take every necessary measure to preserve our commerce and the lives of our merchant seamen from destruction by commerce raiders."

"We must both hunt down enemy raiders and convoy our ships to protect them against such hostile craft as elude our patrols."

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Chinese businessmen in Hongkong are organising a party to visit Chungking in November, according to the Minister for Overseas Affairs of the Central Kuomintang, Mr. Kiu Wei-chi, yesterday. The party will be under the auspices of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce in Hongkong.

GERMANS, IN GREAT

CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

CANBERRA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Reports that Sir John Latham, Australian Minister to Japan, is not returning to his post, were denied yesterday by Sir Frederick Stewart, Commonwealth Minister for External Affairs. Sir Frederick said Sir John is making "a flying visit" to Australia and would return to his post after consultations.

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A decree has been issued by Terboven, Nazi Commissar in Norway, that all blankets be handed over to the military authorities presumably for the use of German troops in Russia. Those disobeying the order will be sentenced to three years' hard labour or a fine of 100,000 crowns.

OSAKA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The flagship of the French fleet in Far Eastern waters, the cruiser "Lamott-Picquet," sailed for Saigon yesterday following completion of repairs at the Osaka Iron Works.

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—With a view to giving civil and military audiences an account of experiences in the Middle East, Lt. Col. L. Jones and Major I.C.W. Middleton-Stewart will be sent by the Middle East Command shortly to India. A tour of lectures has been arranged by the Government of India.

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Small forces of RAF bombers attacked objectives in the Rhineland and the Channel ports on Friday night.

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Vichy authorities are facing unrest in French Morocco. It was reported yesterday that the director of a large factory and a well-known lawyer have been imprisoned for "activities against the security of the State."

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The ninth Kuomintang Congress in the Philippines is scheduled to take place in November, when the Vice-Minister for Overseas Affairs, Mr. Tai Kwei sen, will proceed to the Philippines to represent the Central Kuomintang at the meeting.

NAZI "KULTUR" IN BELGIUM

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Germans have executed 20 hostages in Belgium; it is thought they are among the 25 hostages arrested in the week after two German policemen were killed at Tourhal.

After the murders General Falkenhausen, the German commander in Belgium, said that if the culprits were not found and if further acts were committed, the hostages would be shot.

A further attack on a German occurred on Thursday, says a German announcement, and the hostages were executed on Friday.

CHINESE LAUNCH BIG OFFENSIVE ALONG THE EASTERN SEABOARD

CHUNGKING, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Chinese forces along the eastern seaboard have launched a simultaneous offensive in Chekiang, Kiangsu, Anhwei and Kiangsi provinces in an effort to ease the pressure on the Chinese troops in Hunan, where the situation remains critical. Little Chinese information is now available.

REPAYMENT OF LEASE-LEND SUPPLIES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Mr. Dean Acheson, U.S. Assistant Secretary of State, told the House of Representatives Committee which is considering the new Lease-Lend appropriation that the "basis of discussions" with Britain regarding conditions for repayment of Lease-Lend supplies has reached the point where Britain could be asked how she felt about them.

He did not mention, however, what the terms were. Mr. Acheson also told the committee that Lease-Lend agreements have been concluded with several Latin-American governments. Although he gave no names it is believed they are Haiti, Paraguay and the Dominican Republic.

In Chekiang the Chinese are attacking Hsiku, native village of General Chiang Kai-shek, and Shansing, famous wine-producing centre, while in Kiangsi the Chinese are attacking in the vicinity of Penetseh, Hukuo and Nan chang.

Meanwhile Domei, the Japanese agency, now says that reports that the Japanese have entered Changsha are premature. Actually violent fighting is still raging just north of Changsha the agency says.

JAPANESE CLAIM. An official Japanese communiqué claims the Chinese have suffered 100,000 casualties in north-eastern Hunan.

Thirty Chungking divisions were said to have been "routed," 10 of them being "annihilated." The Press section of the Japanese Expeditionary Forces in Central China announced last night that Japanese forces penetrated into Changsha at 6.25 last evening.

TOKYO AFFIRMS ADHERENCE TO THE TRIPARTITE PACT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Appeasers and others, who have been predicting a Japanese change of heart and the development in Tokyo of a sincere desire for better relations with the United States, appear to have got their answer on Friday—and from Tokyo.

After the statements of Mr. Nobumi Ito, President of the Cabinet-Planning Board, Colonel Mabu bi, Japanese army spokesman, and Mr. Koh Ishii, deputy spokesman of the Information Board, all of which were given considerable prominence in the afternoon papers, there seems little to be said, according to observers in Washington, about any change in Japan's international position.

Informed quarters did not expect Japan to do other than affirm her Axis ties, for failure to do so, they declare, would have weakened her diplomatic position and would have been an acknowledgment of diplomatic failure.

They add, however, it certainly puts out of court that covering agreement with the United States which uninformed quarters have been predicting in recent weeks.

DIPLOMATIC ISOLATION

However, it is not for a moment imagined in Washington that Japan is terribly enthusiastic about her Axis partnership which appears to have brought her little more than diplomatic isolation and, if she finally goes to war, military isolation.

Her position is not regarded in Washington as either pleasant or enviable, and as far as can be seen at present, time is scarcely likely to improve that position.

EXPENSIVE OFFENSIVES

Continuance of the war in China, especially if Japan indulges in expensive offensives such as that now proceeding in Hunan is considered in Washington to be a certain method of rapidly depleting her stocks of raw materials, which she can no longer obtain from either the United States or the British Empire.

There is, therefore, not the slightest disposition in Washington to worry unduly about Friday's violent reaffirmation of the Axis ties by a variety of official Japanese spokesmen.

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NAZI AIR ACTIVITY OVER BRITAIN

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—During Friday night there was little enemy air activity over Britain, states an Air Ministry communiqué issued yesterday morning.

Only a few bombs were dropped and some houses damaged, and at one place in East Anglia a small number of people was injured.

MRS. D. CLARKE RELEASED

PEIPING, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Mrs. Denzil Clarke, Japanese-born wife of the Press Attaché at the British Embassy in Peiping, who had been missing for a week, has been found by the Japanese police.

It was stated yesterday that arrangements are being made for her release from the "Japanese extremists" who kidnapped her.

GERMANS DESTROY SERB TOWN

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—A town in Serbia, 30 miles from the old Montenegro border, was reported yesterday to have been destroyed by German dive-bombers as a reprisal for the activities of Serb guerrillas in destroying railways and roads last week. The Germans claim that 200 guerrillas and 20 Croat Fascist were killed in a three-day battle.

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Mr. George Balfour, Member of Parliament for Hampstead since 1918 and one of the founders of the electrical industry in Britain, died on Friday night at the age of 69. He was the founder and head of Balfour, Beatty and Company and Chairman of the Power Securities Corporation.

Fourteen guerrillas were executed when a village was captured.

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SHANGHAI PETROL RATIONING

SHANGHAI, Sept. 28 (Reuters). A further tightening up of petrol rationing in Shanghai is leading petroleum firms in the northern city to selling petrol from Monday next only on the production of "allotment cards" issued by them to car and truck owners.

On each card is specified the amount of petrol the holder is entitled to buy during the first rationing period from September 29 to November 1.

BANK OF ENGLAND NOTES

Travellers are again advised that the export of Bank of England notes from Hongkong is prohibited, and the import of such notes from Hongkong into the sterling area is similarly prohibited by the sterling area controls.

WALLA-WALLAS

In the event of an emergency all motor-boats in the Colony will be commandeered by the authorities. The firms concerned have been informed and it is learned that the authorities have requested the supply of 12 motor-boats.

The companies are holding a conference among their representatives to see what facilities can be arranged.

Finance and Commerce

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

SEPTEMBER 27, 1941.

London—
Telegraphic Transfer 127 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand 127 1/2
Credits 4 months sight

Shanghai—
On demand 400

Singapore—
On demand 52 3/4

Japan—
On demand 112 1/4

India—
Telegraphic Transfer 82 5/8

New York—
Bank Bills, on demand 24 1/2

Credit, 60 days sight 26 1/2

Batavia—
On demand 46 3/4

Bank Bills, on demand Nom

Credit 4 months sight Nom

Saigon—
On demand 100

Manila—
On demand 49 7/8

Bangkok—
On demand 148

Sterling Notes—
Bank Buying Rate—Nom

Bar Silver per oz. 23 1/2

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Sept. 27 (Reuters)

Official T.T. Rates

Opening London 0.55 3/2, New

York 5.9 3/2, Japan unquoted. In

dia 17 1/2, Paris unquoted. Hong

kong 21

India Rupee Paper

Bombay, Sept. 27 (Reuters)

Govt 3 1/2 Rupee 96-0-0

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTERS SERVICE)

London, Sept. 27

The following quotations are the

middle prices at the close of the

market at London. All quotations are

subject to confirmation and no re-

sponsibility is assumed for errors in

transmission.

War Loan, 3 1/2, 105-19 1/2

Defence Loan, 3 1/2, 101 1/2

Canton-Kowloon Rly. 5 1/2, 13

Chinese 4 1/2, Gold Loan 1893

(Brit. Issue), 46

Chinese 5 1/2, Gold Bonds

1925-47, 46

Chinese 4 1/2, Anglo-French

Loan 1908, 46

Chinese 5 1/2, Crisp Loan 1912

Chinese 5 1/2, Reorg. Loan

1913 (old), 38

Chinese 8 1/2, Ster. Notes 1925

(Vickers), 10

Chinese Imperial Rly. 5 1/2

Loan, 80

Honan Rly. 5 1/2, 1905

Hokanng Rly. 5 1/2, 1911 (LP

N.Y. Issue), 15

Hokanng Rly. 5 1/2, 1912

(German Issue), 13

Lung Tsing & L. Hai Rly

5 1/2, 1913, 12

Shai-N'king Rly. 5 1/2, 17

Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5 1/2

(Brit. Stpd.), 12

Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5 1/2

(German Stpd.), 13

Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5 1/2

(Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan), 13

Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5 1/2

(Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan), 13

Jap. 6 1/2, Ster. Loan, 1924

Ger. 7 1/2, Intl. Loan, 1924

Chartered Bank, 9-15 1/2

H.K. & Shai Banking Corp.

(Ldn. Reg.), 77

H.K. & Shai Banking Corp.

(Col. Reg.), 85

Chinese Eng. & Mining

(bearer), 15 1/2

Chosen Corporation

(bearer), 5 1/2

Mercantile Bank of India

5 1/2, 11 1/2

H.K. Stock Exchange

Saturday, Sept. 27

BUYERS H.K. (Sept. 27) 100

1934-38 Canton Ins. 240, Lands

347 1/2, Railways 33 1/2, Chinese

Electricity (New) 22 1/2, Telephones

(Old) 22 1/2, Telephones (New) 20 1/2

Cement 17, Dairy Farms 19, Wat

sons 13 1/2, Lane Crawford 16 1/2, Wm

Powell 11 1/2, Entertainment 7 1/2

SETTLERS Docks 19 1/2, Provident

47 1/2, Hotels 4 1/2, Public 4 1/2, War

13 1/2, Vibro Piling 5 1/2

SALES Union Ins. 54 1/2, Wharves

48 1/2, Docks 19 1/2, 80, Telephones

(Old) 22 1/2

INCOME TAX

It was officially learned on

Saturday that a Committee has

been appointed to study and re-

port to Government the practical

possibility of replacing War Taxation

with a regular Income Tax, or, al-

ternatively, to devise ways and

means to increase the yield of

War Taxation.

The first meeting of the Income

Tax Committee will be held on

Oct. 15

REVENUE STAMP

SHORTAGE

The Hon. Mr. R. R. Todd

Financial Secretary stated on

Saturday that there is no need

now for Government to overprint

12 cent postage stamps to be used

as 10 cent revenue stamps as a

consignment of 10 cent revenue

stamp has arrived to relieve the

shortage and that many more are

on the way.

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE, SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

SATURDAY 27 SEPT.

Banks

H.K. Banks 14 1/2

Do (Col. Reg.) 28 1/2

Do (Ldn. Reg.) 27 1/2

Chartered Banks 29 1/2

Mercantile Bks "A" 23 1/2

Mercantile Bks "C" 21 1/2

Bank of East Asia 27 1/2

N. C. & S. Banks 27 1/2

Insurance

Canton Insurance 23 1/2

Union Insurance 44 1/2

Underwriters 81 1/2

H.K. Fire 81 1/2

Shipping

Dunlop 12 1/2

Steamboats 11 1/2

Indo China (Prof.) 7 1/2

Indo China (Def.) 7 1/2

Shells 53 1/2

Waterfronts 30 1/2

Docks, Wharves

Godowns, etc. 28 1/2

H.K. & S. Wharves

Provident 7 1/2

H.K. Docks (Old)

H.K. Docks (New)

+Shanghai Docks

Mining

Kailash 16 1/2

Rauba 2 cts.

Hong Kong Mines

Lands, Hotels and

Buildings

H.K. & S. Hotels 4 1/2

H.K. Lands 37 1/2

Do 4 1/2, Debonatures

Shanghai Lands 4 1/2

H.K. Realities 8 1/2

Humphreys 7 1/2

Chinese Estates

Cotton Mills

Ewo (S.) 50

Shai Cottons (S.) 23 1/2

Zoong Sings (S.) 12 1/2

Wing On Textiles (S.) 12 1/2

Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways 17 1/2

Peak Tram (old) 7 1/2

Peak Tram (new) 7 1/2

Star Ferries 24

Y'mati Ferries 24

China Lights (O) 7 1/2

China Lights (New) 7 1/2

H.K. Electric (R.O.) 23 1/2

H.K. Electric (New) 23 1/2

H.K. Electric (Rta) 13 1/2

Macao Electric 13 1/2

Sandakan Light 13 1/2

Telephones (old) 25

Telephones (new) 25 1/2

Industrials

Cald. Macg. (Ord.) 8 1/2

Cald. Macg. (Prof.) 8 1/2

Canton Ice 17 1/2

Cement 17 1/2

H.K. Rope 17 1/2

H.K. Govt. Loans

4 1/2 Loan 10 1/2

4 1/2 (1934) 10 1/2

4 1/2 (1940) 10 1/2

Miscellaneous

Dairy Farms 19 1/2

Entertainments

Construction (old) 11 1/2

Construction (new) 11 1/2

Lane Crawford 16 1/2

Nanyang Tobacco 37 1/2

Sincere 37 1/2

Watsons 37 1/2

Ch. G. 5 1/2, 1926 G.S.Ds. 43 1/2

H.K. Wing On 43 1/2

Shai Wing On 43 1/2

Vibro Piling 43 1/2

Marsman Inv. (Ldn.) 7 1/2

Marsman Inv. (H.K.) 7 1/2

Wm. Powell 11 1/2

N.A. Chemicals (H.K.) 11 1/2

+Sale to Shanghai

CURRENT COST OF LIVING

While prices were, on the whole,

inclined to be steady there was a

noticeable upward tendency in the

prices of fruits due, no doubt, to

the coming "Moon Cake" festival

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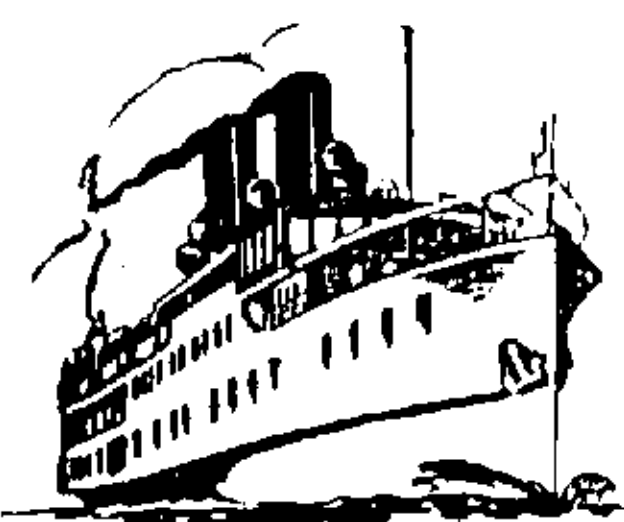
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COLONY AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

Miss Churn Better 50-Yard Record

The second day of the Colony swimming championships at the Victoria Recreation Club on Saturday night was featured by the shattering of the ladies' 50 yards free style by Miss Vivienne Churn by more than a second.

Miss Ko Mu-ling, who came second in the same race, also broke the old record of 31.2/5 seconds by one-fifth of a second.

The men's 450 yards medley relay was won by V. R. C. with Sing Tao and Lai Tsun following in that order, while the inter-school 220 yards free-style relay was annexed by St. Joseph's with La Salle a good second.

THE RESULTS

Full results are as follows:—

Men's 100 Yards breast-stroke—1. Ng Nin (1 min 12 secs); 2. Ho Poon kin; 3. Fung Wai-cheung. Ladies' 50 Yards free-style—1. Miss Vivienne Churn (30 secs); 2. Miss Ko Mu-ling (31.2/5 secs); 3. Miss Celeste Guterres. Men's 220 Yards free-style—1. Lau Tai-ling (2 mins 26.2/5 secs); 2. Yau Sal kwan; 3. Charles Huang.

Ladies' 50 Yards back-stroke—1. Miss Ho Wai-king (37.3/5 secs); 2. Miss Sal Wai-ying; 3. Miss Celeste Guterres. Men's 150 Yards medley relay—1. V. R. C. (A. K. Rumbahn, L. M. Remedios and W. Lawrence); Time 1 min 28 secs; 2. Sing Tao; 3. Lai Tsun. Ladies' 75 Yards Individual medley—1. Miss Ho Wai-king (41 secs); 2. Miss Vivienne Churn; 3. Miss Tsang Fung kwan.

SECONDARY EVENTS

Dividing Exhibition—L. Roza Pereira, Lam Kiu-tung, Lau Yim and G. Saunders. Inter-School 200 Yards free-style Relay (Open)—1. St. Joseph's College (Andrew Fong, Li Wai-hong, Donald Young and Yee Tung-lun); Time 1 min 51.4/5 secs; 2. La Salle College; 3. St. Stephen's College. V. R. C. Members' 100 Yards back-stroke Junior Championship—1. H. Reynolds (1 min 18.2/5 secs); 2. E. D. da Roza; 3. A. B. de Carvalho. V. R. C. Members' 440 Yards free-style Junior Championship—1. A. V. Lopes (6 mins 42.5/5 secs); 2. L. A. Benn; V. R. C. Members' 50 Yards breast-stroke Handicap—1. J. A. Marques; 2. L. Vieira; 3. E. M. Marques. Boys' 100 Yards free-style—1. J. Roza Pereira (1 min 81.5/5 secs); 2. G. Rousselet; V. R. C. Ladies' 25 Yards free-style (Beginners)—1. Miss M. Gutierrez (Time 15.2/5 secs); 2. Miss Therese Noronha and Miss Jeannette Yelle (dead heat).

H.K. RIFLE ASSOCIATION MINIATURE RIFLE SECTION

Results returned for Sept. 21 in the First Division of the H.K. R.A.'s Miniature Rifle League show that Rajput "A" have displaced Police "A" as runners-up in the division, although with seven matches yet to be shot there is still considerable speculation as to who will achieve the honour. There seems little doubt, however, that Police Reserve will be the first winners of the Grassett Challenge Trophy.

In the Second Division R. E. Stonecutters cannot be quite so confident of annexing the trophy presented by the Hon. J. P. Pennefather-Evans, Commissioner of Police, as they have still to shoot against Royal Scots "C" Coy. "B" and Police "B," their closest rivals, although R. E. Stanley helped them by returning the highest Second Division aggregate of the season to beat Police "B." 370—345.

Royal Air Force once more broke the aggregate record in the Aperture Sight League defeating Police "A" 393-387 and are now well on the way to victory.

"Possibles" were returned by Cpl. Henley (R.A.F.) and Sgt. Russell (H.K.P.).

Highest Open sight scores of the period were: A.S.I. P. H. Thong (H.K.P.) 96; S. Sgt. Jones (R.E. Stanley) 96; Pte. Melke (R. Scots "B" Coy.) 96; 2. Lt. Bhanwarpal Singh (Rajput "C") 95; Hav. Chiragh Ahmad (Rajput "E") 95; Pte. Whelan (R. Scots "B" Coy.) 95; Hav. Abdul Rahman (Rajput "E") 95; Nk. Ajah Hasain (Rajput "E") 95; L. Cpl. Pemberton (R. E. Stanley) 94; L. Cpl. Burns (R. Scots "B" Coy.) 94.

THE RESULTS

Results of matches completed on Sept. 21 were as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION

OPEN SIGHTS

Middlesex B 340 v. 2nd 14th Punjab F 325; 2nd 14th Punjab D 335 v. H. K. Police A 368; 5th 7th Rajput C 357 v. Royal Scots D Coy. A 341; H. A. P. A 354 v. 5th 7th Rajput E 347; 2nd 14th Punjab A v. Middlesex A v. H. K. V. D. C. A 341 v. Royal Scots A Coy. (1); 2nd 14th Punjab B 319 v. 5th 7th Rajput C 360; 22nd (F) Coy R. E. 320 v. Royal Scots B Coy. 357; 5th 7th Rajput A 355 v. Middlesex B 341; 2nd 14th Punjab C 310 v. 5th 7th Rajput D 334; Royal Scots C Coy. A 347 v. H. K. V. D. C. A 329; Middlesex C 318 v. H. K. Police Reserve; 369; 5th 7th Rajput E 357 v. 2nd 14th Punjab B 302; Royal Scots D Coy. A 335 v. 22nd (F) Coy R. E. 306; Middlesex D 269 v. 5th 7th Rajput A 363; Royal Scots H. Q. Coy. A 317 v. 5th 7th Rajput D 333; 2nd 14th Punjab E 334 v. 2nd 14th Punjab C 310; Middlesex A v. Middlesex C 325; Royal Scots A Coy. v. 5th 7th Rajput E 370; Middlesex E v. 2nd 14th Punjab A v. 40th (F) Coy R. E. 336 v. Middlesex D 288; Middlesex E v. Royal Scots B Coy. 369; Dockyard Rifle Club 302 v. 2nd 14th Punjab D 324; Collinson R. C. A v. v. 40th (F) Coy R. E. 351.

SECOND DIVISION

H. K. Police B 345 v. R. E. Stanley

S.C.A.A. TROUCE RESIDENTS' UNION

Maintaining their unbeaten record, the South China A.A. cagers trounced Residents' Union by 50 points to 32 after leading 27-15 in the first-half of the game. Bank Union conceded a walk over to National University in the other scheduled League match.

BROOKLYN WIN BALL PENNANT

NEW YORK, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The Brooklyn Dodgers won the National League pennant of American baseball, qualifying to meet the New York Yankees in the world series.

The World Series starts on Oct. 1.

BRADMAN OUT OF CRICKET

SYDNEY, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—Don Bradman, the world famous cricketer, who after joining the Royal Australian Air Force was recommended for a discharge on account of health earlier this year, is not likely to play cricket this season though his health is now much improved.

Bradman resumed his work for an Adelaide firm early this month.

INDIAN SOCCER

BOMBAY, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—In the final of the Rovers Cup football tournament, played yesterday, Welch Regiment beat the holders, Mohammedan Sporting Club, of Calcutta, by 2 goals to nil.

It is learned A. P. da Silva, prominent Colony sprinter, will appear in V.R.C. colours in the coming season. He is also turning out for the Nomads when the hockey season gets under way.

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

Hibernians Score Eight Goals

LONDON, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—The following are the results of football matches played at Home yesterday:—

LONDON LEAGUE

Aldershot 1, Charlton 0; Brighton 2, Crystal Palace 2; Clapton Orient 1, Brentford 3; Fulham 2, Reading 2; Millwall 6, Chelsea 3; Portsmouth 1, Arsenal 5; Tottenham 6, Swansea 3; Cardiff 5, Southampton 3; Leicester 2, Wolverhampton 0; Luton 3, Bournemouth 1; Northampton 3, Norwich 1; Walsall 2, West Bromwich 1.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE NORTH

Barnsley 2, Doncaster 4; Bolton 2, Blackburn 2; Bradford City 3, Huddersfield 1; Bury 0, Blackpool 5; Chesterfield 0, Sheffield United 1; Halifax 4, Toddale 2; Leeds 1, Sunderland 2; Liverpool 7, New Brighton 2; Manchester United 2, Everton 3; Mansfield 1, Bradford 2; Middlesbrough 1, Gateshead 1; Newcastle 5, York 3; Preston 2, Burnley 1; Rotherham 2, Grimsby 3; Sheffield Wednesday 1, Lincoln 1; Southport 4, Oldham 3; Stoke 2, Chester 5; Notts Forest 1, R. A. F. Eleven 2.

SCOTTISH SOUTH-EASTERN LEAGUE

Aberdonians 4, Queen's Park 2; Morton 2, Celtic 3; Falkirk 2, Hearts 6; Hibernian 8, Rangers 1; Motherwell 2, Dumbarton 3; Patrick 7, Hamilton 0; St. Mirren 3, Clyde 3; Lanark 3, Albion 4.

SCOTTISH NORTH-EASTERN LEAGUE

East Fife 2, Dundee United 2; Glasgow Rangers 7, Leith 0; St. Bernard's 5, Dunfermline 3.

MANILA, Sept. 28 (Reuter).—

Three-hundred-and-fifty Japanese aviators sailed aboard the French liner, Marchai Joffre, for Shanghai.

Football

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Eastern ran riot with goals by CHUNG KAM-HOT (3), V. K. HYUI and LAU FOOK-CHUEN.

Middlesex: Jackson; Cooper, Wilkinson; Sheehan, Bright, Thomas; Coomer, Pearson, Adams, Saw, Bullen.

Eastern: Lau Hin-hon; Ng Kee-cheong, S. H. Yem; Lau Chi-tsang, Hsu King-sing, Lo Wai-kuen; Chung Yung-sun, Chung Kam-hot, V. K. Hyui, Lau Fook-chuen, Hau Ching-to.

POLICE SURPRISED

Police was a surprised team on Saturday when they left the field losers by five clear goals in their match against St. Joseph's at Boundary Street, the latter having been strengthened by the inclusion of Guy (R.A.) and Marshall (Royal Scots).

After Ferrier had had luck with two grand shots the Saints took matters into their hands and, more or less, from then on, were the masters. Watt, a newcomer, at centre-half for Police, played a very good game.

SANTOS, the Saints' diminutive inside, scored three goals while CASTILHO contributed two.

Police: Tsang Wing; Blackburn, Hui Pok-yuen; Pope, Watt, Parker; Wong Man-kwai, Ferrier, Howlett, Coull and Moss.

St. Joseph's: S. Tsang; Hussain, Leonard; Twydale, Guy, Castilho; Ho Ying-fun, C. Santos, L. Woo, Marshall and Costa.

THRILLING MATCH

The friendly rivalry that has existed between Kowloon and Club for so many years was very apparent in their encounter at the railway ground and, after a thrilling match, the latter won by the odd goal in three.

Kowloon's attack worked well together but with the bottling up of Blake by Forrow much of its keenness was lost. Club had a sound attack while their defence

FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 29th SEPTEMBER, 1941.

The public is reminded that

1. No person shall send any Christmas, New Year or other greeting card by post to any destination outside this Colony unless—(a) the cover, if any, is unsealed and clearly marked with the words "Greeting Card"; (b) the cover, if addressed to a destination outside the British Empire, contains nothing but a printed card, with the addition only of the sender's name and address.

2. Any greeting card posted in breach of any of the provisions of this order may be destroyed or disposed of in such manner as the Censor may direct.

Parcel Post Service to Japan is temporarily suspended.

The public is reminded that it is a breach of postal regulations to enclose in a postal cover communications intended for persons other than the addressee.

The Printing Matter Service to the following places in China is temporarily suspended:—Yunnan, Szechuen, Kweichow, Hunan, Fukien (except Amoy and Kulangsu), Kwangsi, North and East of Kwangtung.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

INWARD AIR MAILS

Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 27th September. Due 3rd Oct.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 30th September. Due 7th Oct.

OUTWARD AIR MAILS

MONDAY, 29th SEPT.

Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

K.P.O.	Reg.	4.00 PM	G.P.O.	Reg.	4.00 PM
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FRIDAY, 3rd OCT.

Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the "British Overseas Airways."

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K.P.O.	Ord.	5.30 PM	G.P.O.	Ord.	7.00 PM

TUESDAY, 7th OCT.

Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, U. S. A. and Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Trans-Atlantic Services."

K.P.O.	Reg.	5.00 PM	G.P.O.	Reg.	5.00 PM
K.P.O.	Ord.	5.30 PM	G.P.O.	Ord.	7.00 PM

Round The Police Courts

AT CENTRAL

HEARING ADJOURNED

Cheung Kam-fat, quartermaster, appeared before Mr. D. J. N. Anderson on Saturday charged with attempting to export \$700 worth of subsidiary coins out of the Colony on Sept. 3.

Mr. Peter Sin appeared for the defendant and hearing was adjourned to Oct. 8 at 2.30 p.m.

WOMAN FINED

Before Mr. H. G. Sheldon, Woo Ho, 39, married woman was charged with the possession of a ward, Fung Woon Ho, alias Ah Sin, 13, and was fined \$5.

THEFT OF BELL

Leung Chi, 29, was fined \$20 or in default one month's hard labour by Mr. Sheldon for larceny of a steel bell belonging to Chin Chan, 20, spinster, of 34 Leighton Hill Road on Sept. 26.

DET-SEGT. MORRISON PROSECUTED

Kowloon's front line in check. Kowloon opened the scoring from a penalty taken by Rocha with Bond retaliating. Changing ends with the score one-all a great struggle ensued, Club snatching victory through a late goal by Bickford.

Kowloon: Whitfield; Marques, Gosano; Maxwell, Williamson, Pereira; Cruz, Jackson, Blake, Rocha, White.

Club: Fowler; Upton, Fallace; Odell, Forrow, Skinner; Hopkinson, Bond, F. Fowler, Strange, Bickford.

JUNIOR DIVISIONS

In the two junior divisions there were a glut of goals, the biggest win being registered by 24th Bty. over R.A.M.C. by 9-2.

Pung Ngai made their bow to third division with a drawn game with Shell while University celebrated their return to league soccer with a 3-0 victory over 20th Bty.

THE RESULTS

Second Division
Middlesex 8, Eastern 5; Sing Tao 6, R. Engineers 0; Police 2, R.A.S.C. 4; Kowloon 3, Club 2; 7th A.A. Bty. 3, R.A.O.C. 0; 12th Bty. R.A. 4, Kit Chee 1.

Third Division

7th Bty. R.A. 4, Signals 2; 24th Bty. R.A. 9, R.A.M.C. 2; 20th Bty. R.A. 0, University 3; Pung Ngai 2, Shell 2; 95th Bty. R.A. 4, 12th Bty. R.A. 1.

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